

What is claimed is:

1. An automated call handling system comprising:

at least one handset adapted to receive and transmit telephony communication;

5 at least one computer server, associated with said at least one handset, wherein said at least one computer server functions as a telephone exchange regarding said at least one handset; said computer server having an account number and a plurality of handset numbers corresponding to said account number wherein said handset number used to contact said handset can be
10 changed at will by a user in response to a telephone call made to said automated call handling system's (ACHS's) account number.

2. The automated call handling system of claim 1 wherein said computer server has a mode having an authorization code corresponding to the time of day, day of week, and calling party such that the user can change authorization
15 code at will.

3. The automated call handling system of claim 2 where the authorization code can be used to direct the telephone call to ACHS to a particular said at least one handset in accordance with mode setting provided by the user.

4. The ACHS of claim 3 further comprising means for providing additional information to the user about the identify of the telephone call made to the ACHS such said the user can decide whether to accept or reject the telephone call.

5. The ACHS of claim 4 further comprising means for sending a coded
5 message to said at least one handset in response to a security message received by said ACHS which results in said at least one handset being totally blocked as to incoming and outgoing calls if said at least one handset is lost or stolen.

6. The ACHS of claim 5 wherein said security message can be unlocked
10 by a personal identification number.

7. The ACHS of claim 6 wherein said security message can only be unlocked by the phone manufacturing or the phone manufacturer authorized representative.

8. The ACHS of claim 7 further comprising means for downloading the
15 information stored on said at least one handset to said computer server.

9. The ACHS of claim 8 wherein said computer server further comprises means for transmitting downloaded information receiving from said at least one handset to another handset in response to a telecommunication request by the user.

10. The ACHS of claim 1 wherein said computer server further comprises means for communicating the use's telephone on said at least one handset to a pre-determined list of third parties.

11. The ACHS of claim 10 wherein said computer server further
5 comprises means for accepting refusal for receiving call forwarding calls from the user's said at least one handset.